Hot Weather Cautions for Bathers.

Never enter the water when overheated; rest a little first, and cool off, but not enough to feel cold. Bathers should enter the water when the body is at a glow, not when it is in active or violent perspiration. Never enter the water with a headache; never do so with a full stomach. Nothing can be more dangerous to the system than to contravene these rules, and many have lost their lives by neglecting them. No one should enter the water immediately after dinner; none who wish to avoid the swimmer's bugbear, cramps, should enter it when suffering from acidity of the stomach. The best time for bathing is either before breakfast or between eleven and twelve in the forenoon. All who suffer from delicate constitutions should avoid bathing in the early morning .- Woman's Home Companion.

A Giant Gold Nugget.

United States Consul Smith of Moscow reports that a telegram from Tomsk announces the finding of a gold nugget weighing seventy pounds in the Spasso Preobrajensk mines, situated on the River Chibyek, in the Ciatrict of Yeansay. The nugget will be found to take the eleventh place, as far as size is concerned, among the nuggets of the whole world, and the second among those found in Russia. The first was found in the South Oural Mountains.

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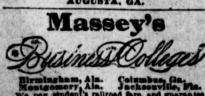
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THE SPANISH ARMADA.

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Big Galleons Riddled With Shot and Sent Drifting Towards the Shoals-Regging Sidonia to Surrender-Rescued From Reefs to Meet a More Terrible Fate.

"The Spanish Armada" is the subject of an article in the Century, written by William Frederic Tilton, with an introduction by Captain Alfred T. Mahan. Mr. Tilton says of the defeat of the "Invincible Armada:"

In Spain the progress and fortunes of the Armada had naturally been the one all-absorbing theme of boasting or conjecture, in palace and monastery, in street and shop. From every altar of the land fervent prayers for its success were rising. The king himself passed hours of every day upon his knees before the sacrament; and those in waiting on him declared that he often rose in the night, sigh-

ing to heaven for victory.

And now came Mendoza's good news. Yet the king, feverish as was his longing for success, was too old s player to put absolute truth in his ambassador's confused report; for the sanguine, magniloquent Mendoza had a reputation for "deceiving himself." So Philip, in an agony of conflicting doubt and hope, shut himself up in the Escorial, and would give no one audience until he should receive more certain tidings.

While Mendoza's ridiculous rumors were circulating through the courts of the Continent, the Armada was in reality flying, crippled and miserable, into the fogs and gales of the German Ocean. For Philip's fleet, if not ac-tually conquered, had been terribly shattered by the incessant, deadly fire of the English gunners in the great fight off Gravelines. When the Span-ish admiral, the Duke of Medina Sidonia, counted over his ships after the battle, several were missing, among them those of the two heroes of the day on the Spanish side, the dashing, irresistible soldier-sailors Toledo and Pimentel, who, having fought till, in the words of a Spanish officer present, their cracked galleons were "knocked in pieces, and the crews nearly all dead or wounded," drifted in the black night, helpless, or rather unhelped, away from their consorts

toward the Low Country coast. Yet the Armada had not been ntterly routed, and Elizabeth's captains knew this full well. In the evening, just after the fighting had ceased, Howard wrote home that he had "distressed them much," and, though he doubted not, "by God's good assistance, to oppress them," yet he would not "write unto her Majesty till more be done." And even jubilant Drake, who, with the insight of the great seacaptain, had at once appreciated almost to its full extent the success achieved at Gravelines, still expected to "wrestle a pull" with the Spaniards, and was keeping a sharp eye upon them night and day.

In spite of their exhaustion, the Spaniards had scarce closed their eyes during the night after Gravelines, fearing every moment to hear their ships strike on the treacherous banks which skirt the Low-Country coast. Soon after day broke their fears were all but realized. The wind had gradually edged to the northward, and was now blowing hard from the northwest. This must have been a fair enough wind for Calais; but Sidonia had no stomach for another fight, and, owing to their crippled state, his ships, bad sailers at best, were now falling off to leeward toward the low line of shoals. With terror the Spaniards saw in front of them the great waves breaking into gray foam on the smooth sands, and gray foam on the smooth sands, and close behind them the pursuing English fleet. Sidonia was lagging behind, with his stout-hearted lieutenants, Recalde and Leyva. The pilots declared that the fleet was doomed unless the wind shifted, and that speedily. Chicken-hearted officers begged Sidonia to strikes his colors and at donia to strikes his colors, and at donta to strikes his colors, and at least save ships and lives; but the admiral confessed himself, and resolved to die, if die he must, like a true knight of the cross. The English, however, did not attack, believing, as the Spaniards afterwards concluded, the Spaniards afterwards concluded, the Armada was drifting of itself to sure destruction. Suddenly, by a miracle, as the Spaniards piously thought, the wind veered to the southward. The Armada, rescued from the shoals only to suffer a more terrible fate, eased sheets and sailed out into the deep North Sea, closely followed by the English.

Shaken by the terrible strain of the last ten days, and now utterly un-nerved by the narrowness of this last escape from the very jaws of death, Sidonia was in a panic of doubt and despair. So, hastily summoning a council of war, he asked whether he ought to sail back into the Channel. It was voted to do so if the wind came fair, otherwise to "obey the weather," and sail north about to Spain; for, it was urged, hulls were leaking at a was urged, hulls were leaking at a thousand shot-holes, the rigging was terribly out up, and the ammunition was nearly all consumed. Promising to turn back if the wind shifted, Sidonia headed his ragged fleet for the Orkneys; yet it may be inferred that be had no wish to face again the tactics of, what he termed "those heretic pirates."

"What is your objection to wom-en's clubs, Professor? Haven't they as good a right to organize them-selves into clubs for good-fellowship, mutual entertainment or instruction as men have?"

"'Oh, yes, madam. I don't question their right to do anything they please. My objection to women's clubs, if I have any, is that nearly all the clubwomen I happen to be acquainted with pronounce it 'progr'm.' "—Chicago Tribune.

A Naval Hero's Story.

From the Times-Herald, Chicago, Ill. Late in 1861, when President Lincoln issued a call for volunteers, L. J. Clark, of Warren, Trumbull Co., Ohio, was among the first to respond. He joined the mortar fleet of Admiral Porter just before the memorable operations on the Mississippi River began. It was at the terrific bombardment of the Vicksburg forts, that the hero of this story fell with a shattered arm from a charge of schrappel.

After painful months in the hospital, he recovered sufficiently to be sent to his home at Warren, Obio. Another call for troops fired his patriotic zeal and Clark soon enlisted in Company H, of the 7th Ohlo Vol-unteers. In the army of the Potomac, he was in many engagements. Being wounded in a skirmish near Richmond, he was sent to the hospital and thence home.



A Wounded Hero. where he now has a wide practice, is a member of Hatch Post, G. A. R., and lives at 4935 Ash-Several years ago Dr. Clark's old wounds

several years ago Dr. Clark's old wounds began 'o trouble him. He grew weak and emaciated, and his friends despaired of his life. He finally recovered sufficiently to be out but was a mere shadow, weighing only 90 pounds. The best medical attendance failed to restore his lost strength and vigor. 'A friend gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People,' said Dr. Clark, "and they helped me so much that I bought a half dozen boxes and took them. I soon regained my strength, now weigh 190

a half dozen boxes and took them. I soon regained my strength, now weigh 190 pounds and, except for injuries that can never be remedied, am as well as ever.

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DINNER IN HAREM.

Two Items on the Menu Were a Calf and Kid Roasted Whole.

Mrs. Ramsay, who accompanied her husband on his archaeological tour in Asia Minor, once spent a whole day in a harem. She describes the incidents of her visit in her book, "Every-Day Life in Turkey," from which we condense the description of the Turkish dinner. The ladies of the house, the mother of the master and his two wives, warmly welcomed the stranger and introduced her to several guests. Coffee and cigarettes and slices of melon were handed round shortly after. Then, it being noon, two of the older ladies veiled themselves, and on prayer carpets spread toward Mecca, spent a quarter of an hour in devotion, while the other ladies smoked, laughed and chatted. Some of the women went into the garden, where they romped like schoolgirls at hide and seek.

At four o'clock preparations began for dinner by putting a table cloth of patchwork under the table and placing on it a four legged stool turned upside down. Upon it was laid a large, round metal tray three feet in diameter, round the edge of which was piled bread. A basin, ewer and napkins were carried to the guests that they might wash their hands and several of the more devout, calling for prayer carpets and

veils, said their prayers before dining. Pillows were placed round the table and the guests took their places, sitting Turkish fashion. A narrow napkin, many yards in length and with embroidered borders, encircled the table, lying in loose folds on the knees of the diners.

The first course, served in the earthenware pot in which it had been cooked, was called pishmish, and was composed of rice, onions, sour milk, cheese and fat. The pot was placed in the middle of the table, and all the guests supped as much as they wanted with nest black wooden spoons with colored beads set in their handles.

The second course was a calf-entire from head to hoof-boiled until the bones fell out, and smothered in a mass of finely shredded garlic. It was eaten with the fingers of the right hand—the tips of two fingers and the thumb. What remained of the second coursea little garlic and the bones-was removed, and a huge cream tart was placed on the table. The flaky pastry and the fragrant, rich cream having been eaten, the dish that had contained the cream was replaced by another piled with dolmaches—a mixture of mincement and rice wrapped in vine

That was succeeded by a great bowl of cherries cooked in honey and eaten with an ivory spoon. Mrs. Ramsay, although she had eaten to repletion, made a show of enjoying the sweet, lest her refusal should cause the removal of the dish untasted by hosts too polite to eat what their guest had declined.

A kid, roasted whole and stuffed with pistachio nuts, followed the cherries, and that was succeeded by an-other dish of sweets. Then came fow's, vegetables, meats and fruits and last of all a pilau.

"Now," said Mrs. Ramsay's left-hand neighbor, with a sigh and a smile, "if you are done, we may retire from the table." She had been done for three long hours, and with grunts and sighs all arose. The basin and ewer were again handed round, and then eigarettes and coffee.

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Farragut summoned him one morning, and, pointing to a Confederate fort

"Do you see that place, Schley? Go knock it to pieces.

- Schley went, and was hammering the forts to bits when his Quartermaster rushed up to him and said:

"Captain, the Admiral has signalled us to stop and return to the fleet." "To thunder with the signal! I won't see it," answered Schley.

He kept pounding away at the fort until it was in ruins. Then he returned to the fleet. Farragut was angry and summoned him. Before all the officers of the flagship he gave Schley a fierce dressing down for not obeying the recall signal.

"I didn't see it," protested Schley. "You must have shut the eye that you put the glass to," said Farragut.

After again raking him fore and aft

for his disobedience the Admiral took him into the cabin out of sight of the other officers and gave him one of the finest cigars in his locker.—Syracuse Standard.

The Spanish Pretender's Opportunity.

It is an interesting bit of history that Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, might have been King of Spain if he had been willing to abate his claim to rule as an absolute monarch. The present Prime Minister, Sagasta, went to him in 1868 and offered him the crown on the condition that he would sign a constitution and be a limited monarch. He was then but nineteen years of age, but he replied like a true Bourbon: "I will sign nothing. When P come to my throne I will rule my land as I and the ministers I choose see fit." He still holds the same rigid notions of what true kingship is. For that reason he is likely to die uncrowned.—Baltimore Sun.

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